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Title: INERTING METHOD AND DEVICE FOR EXTINGUISHING A FIRE

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

In connection with the above referenced U.S. national stage patent application under 35 U.S.C. § 371, please amend the above identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.